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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Cynthia H. NORDNESS

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Serial No.: 10/021,901

Filing Date: 13 December 2001

Title: PERMEABLE, CLOSE TO THE BODY LINER FOR

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed 25 January 2002, we have enclosed the items listed below.

Executed combined Oath or Declaration, Power of Attorney and
 Petition (3 pages)

I hereby certify that this correspondence (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on

11 March 2002

11 March 2002 Margaret M. Crosly
Date Signature

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First Information Disclosure Statement, together with Form
 PTO-1449, two (2) pages, and with copies of each and every
 cited reference

- Transmittal of Formal Drawings including sixteen (16) sheets of formal drawings (Figs. 1-4, 5A, 5B, 6A, 6B, 7A, 7B, 8A, 8B, 9A, 9B, 10, 11A, 11B and 12-16)
- O A check in the amount of \$1,374.00 for the filing fee and surcharge for late filing of the executed oath or declaration
- A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application
- Return Receipt Postcard

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-3550. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
 Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$504.
 - \$504 for 28 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1374.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

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Enclosed please find sixteen (16) sheets of formal drawings (Figs. 1-4,

5A, 5B, 6A, 6B, 7A, 7B, 8A, 8B, 9A, 9B, 10, 11A, 11B and 12-16) for the aboveidentified patent application.

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